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In re Patent Application of )  
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Application No.: UNASSIGNED ) Examiner: UNASSIGNED  
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For: COMMUNICATIONS DEVICE )

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please replace claims 15 and 17 as follows:

15. (Amended) A mobile communications device, adapted to store information in  
accordance with a method as claimed in claim 1.

17. (Amended) A mobile communications device, adapted to retrieve information in  
accordance with a method as claimed in claim 1.

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**REMARKS**

The above changes to the claims have been made to delete multiple dependency of the claims, to round out the scope of patent protection being sought, and generally to place the claims in better condition for examination on the merits.

Respectfully submitted,

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**Marked-up Claims 15 and 17**

15. (Amended) A mobile communications device, adapted to store information in accordance with a method as claimed in claim 1 [any of claims 1 to 7].

17. (Amended) A mobile communications device, adapted to retrieve information in accordance with a method as claimed in claim 1 [any of claims 8 to 14].